

REDFCLIFF NEWS

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REDCLIFF, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1915.

MOTOR TRUCKS MADE IN REDCLIFF

INSIST ON GETTING
PATTERSON'S REAR
From Your Grocer
OR PHONE 43

NUMBER 12

CHAIRMAN OF SCHOOL BOARD RESIGNS POSITION

**Board Refuses to Pass Bill
and Chairman Resigns—
Teachers' Salaries Will Not
Be Reduced At Present**

The first regular meeting of the school board since the night of meeting was closed, was held in the school last Monday evening. Chairman Broadfoot occupied the chair, and the following trustees were present: Messrs. Hayes, Barber, Bryant and Riddell.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and adopted.

A bill for \$16 from the Singer Sewing Machine Co. for rent of machines for the night classes was presented and ordered paid.

As the term for stenography was drawing to a close the secretary was instructed to return the typewriters and arrangements were made for a sufficient number of machines to finish the term.

Chairman Broadfoot introduced the question of retrenchment and said that since all councils and school boards were curtailing expenses by cutting salaries he thought this board should do the same. He thought it out of from five to ten dollars a month off each teacher would leave them with a good living while these hard times, and the saving this made would pay the interest on the money the board was forced to borrow to pay salaries.

Trustee Bryant said he had been thinking of this matter, but after comparing the salaries now being paid here he found that the teachers were not getting any more now than teachers in other places were getting after they were reduced. As a result he did not think it wise to reduce the salaries at the present time.

The other trustees were of the same opinion, and on the suggestion of Trustee Riddell the matter was left over till tomorrow.

The financial condition of the board was discussed, and it was announced that arrangements had been made to secure sufficient funds to meet all present obligations.

A bill from K. P. Huff for \$25.00 for preparing plans for the janitor's house was the signal for a lively discussion.

Trustee Bryant asked if there was a motion on the books authorizing the ordering of these plans, and when informed there was not Trustee Barber moved that the secretary be instructed to return the bill stating that the expenditure was not authorized by the board. Mr. Broadfoot said the matter was discussed and he thought it was better to have it on the books than to have it on the books and then have it on the books.

Mr. Broadfoot was seen by The Review since the meeting and informed us that he means to stand by what he said at the meeting, and that his written resignation had been mailed to the secretary of the board. He said that there had been very evident signs of friction in the board recently, and if he were the case he would much rather be out of it.

SASKATCHEWAN BARS TO CLOSE TILL AFTER WAR

Saskatchewan will be the first province in Canada to completely shut the bar. On July first next not only will the retail sale of all intoxicating liquors come to an end but the wholesale trade will be taken over by the government and operated as a government monopoly under a system of dispensaries. Later even these dispensaries may be abolished by a referendum vote people of the province so decide.

This in brief is the effect of an announcement made by Premier Scott in addressing a meeting at Oxbow yesterday afternoon.

Should Have Both Elections at Once

At the last meeting of the town council when the resignation of Councillor Black was tendered, the town solicitor was instructed to prepare a by-law calling for a by-election to fill the vacancy this caused. We are not aware whether or not this date has as yet been set but there is now some talk in the school board that the resignation of Councillor Black would not be a good idea for the board and the council to get together and have these by-elections take place at the same time. This would not only mean a saving in the expenses in connection with the elections but would have a tendency to bring out a larger vote.

Britain Still Building For Her Navy

England now is building six battle cruisers of 22 knot speed which will be mounted with a new sixteen-inch gun. The special speeding plans of the Admiralty that these ships, it is expected, will be launched within five or six months from the date of laying down, and they will, therefore, be in condition well within the present year. With a sixteen inch gun they should carry a ton explosive from sixteen to twenty miles.

When Germany Realizes Great Britain's Position

When the Kaiser realizes that there are enough British war vessels in the North Sea to keep him the fleet bent up in the Kiel canal, when he realizes that there are enough torpedoes, bombs, submarines and destroyers in the waters of the North Sea, the English Channel, the Irish Sea and the Straits of Dover to keep his navy busy, when he realizes that some of the biggest warships in the British navy are assisting the French fleet to pound their way through the Dardanelles, when he considers that the attack by the Turks (led by German officers) on the Suez Canal was an ignominious failure, and when he reflects that not a German merchant vessel is afloat on the waters of the world, he will begin to realize that Great Britain is some "pumpkins" after all.

Do Not Realize Gravity of Situation

Unceasing efforts are being made in London to impress upon the British public the real gravity of the present situation.

There is a tendency among large sections of the people to regard the situation with casual complacency.

The authorities here recognize that unless the complete break down comes much may result. While all is going well at the front, there is every indication that the German will almost immediately attempt a tremendous forward movement which will fully tax our resources.

The Above is a Sample of the Motor Trucks the Dominion Government is contemplating Buying from the Redcliff Factory

Redcliff Motor Factory May Get Govt. Order

During the past week the Dominion government has been making enquiries about purchasing some motor trucks from the Motor Factory here. On Saturday Nelson Spencer, M. P. for Medicine Hat received a wire from the militia department asking for full particulars regarding the trucks now ready for shipment at the factory here. Mr. Spencer immediately phoned the Review which at about that time had been in the interview between Mr. Spencer and the manager of the factory. Mr. Spencer assures us that he will do everything possible to assist in the disposal of the trucks and as Mr. Waller is at present in Ottawa on this mission there is no doubt he will be successful. The factory here has already on hand about ten trucks such as are being ordered for military purposes and can be shipped on the shortest notice.

If the demand for these goods continues this will mean that another of Redcliff's industries will again be running in full swing.

Women of Redcliff Are Doing Their Share

The ladies of Redcliff are showing their share towards adding to the comforts of the brave lads now fighting in the trenches. For some time past the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church have been meeting regularly to knit socks, and last week they sent away to the front a parcel received, and also the thanks of the committee for the splendid gift. The ladies of Redcliff are doing their share towards adding to the comforts of the brave lads now fighting in the trenches.

Good Progress Being Made at Dardanelles

The British cruiser Amethyst penetrated the straits Monday as far as Fort Nagara, in the heart of the narrow. She was under fire from the Turkish forts, and was struck by 22 shells. Twenty-eight of her crew were killed and about as many more were wounded.

As the Amethyst approached this land in the mouth of the Dardanelles a great sight met the view of the observer in the shape of a mighty allied fleet of battleship, light cruisers, destroyers, and minesweepers. The village of Yeniköy and what was Kum Kale fort were in view, but are now silent and in ruins.

The report having been received that the Turks were planting modern batteries of heavy field artillery near the narrow of Nagara, a squadron of five British ships was sent in to destroy them. The Amethyst led the squadron and when at close range she was fired on with considerable effect by the Turkish batteries. The ship was hit and her anchor was shot away, but she managed to escape and was not damaged.

Redcliff To Start Next Week To Drill Here

Judging from the optimism of J. E. Younger who has charge of the preparations for drilling, Redcliff is soon to become the centre of a big oil industry. The Liberal Oil, Limited, which is the name of the company making preparations to drill here, now has everything in readiness to start operations as soon as they can get coal on the ground to start for engines. This has been delayed somewhat on account of the bad condition of the roads. This company has proceeded with the preparatory work without any publicity and it is their intention to continue the work at their own expense without soliciting capital from outside investors.

If there is all anyone in Alberta," says Mr. Younger, "this is the ideal spot, and I say this after a most exhaustive search of the whole country for military purposes and can be shipped on the shortest notice.

Promising Outlook In Industrial Circles

At the present time prospects are very good for a return to the old time activities amongst our industries here. The new working men, working steadily and good orders are coming in daily, so that the chances promising for the staff to be increased in this plant from week to week as business warrants. With building operations opening up in the larger towns and cities in all the western provinces enquiries are now being made at the Ornamental Iron Works order which were cancelled at the outbreak of the war, and the chances are that when this plant gets in shape to handle them there will be removed activities here also. The shoe factory too has added a number of men to the staff lately, and though it is now between seasons the men are busy getting samples in readiness for starting the travellers out for the fall and winter trade. Added to this there is also a possibility that our shoe factory will secure contracts for supplying the soldiers with boots. Arrangements are also at present under way with the militia department for the disposal of a number of motor trucks for the militia factory. On the whole the outlook is most promising, and if present hopes are realized we may look for a busy summer in Redcliff.

France Has Million Now Ready for Front

A heavy consignment of munitions from Paris talks of the magnitude of the preparations under way by the allies preparatory to the big advance. The greatest quantity of munitions of war ever assembled has been gathered in northern France. These will be moving across the channel for two months, the carrying capacity of which has been increased by the laying of additional tracks along the coast. The railroads towards the front, as well as by thousands of motor vehicles of every kind which have been gathered for the purpose.

In addition to England's new army of over one million, which has been moving across the channel for two months, France has a million soldiers, splendidly equipped and ready to take the field at a minute's notice, who have never yet smelted powder, having been in training during the winter months.

Redcliff Boy May Be Among Missing

In the Canadian cavalry list published this week the name of W. Henderson of Medicine Hat appears. It is thought here that this may possibly be W. A. Henderson of Redcliff, who enlisted in Medicine Hat after recruiting started. Henderson at one time worked in the glass factory here and was a prominent member of the Knights of Pythias. At the time he enlisted he still lived here. He was well known here and had a wife and family in Ontario. There has been no official report of his death received by any of his friends around here, but so far as we can learn there was no other W. Henderson with the 1st contingent.

Local Football League is Formed

The Medicine Hat-Redcliff Amateur Association Football League was re-organized last Tuesday evening in the secretary-treasurer explained that with a splendid attendance of soccer enthusiasts present.

President Courtneil, of Redcliff, occupied the chair, flanked by Vice-President Sully and Secretary-Treasurer Sadler.

The financial statement showed a balance of twenty-nine dollars on the credit side of the ledger, although the secretary-treasurer explained that fifty dollars of this amount was held in trust, being the receipts of the games which were played for Mr. E. McClellan's charity. Can. Mr. McClellan, has stated that he would not have expressed a wish to see it devoted to the furtherance of amateur sports.

As it will be somewhat difficult to finance the league this year, it was decided to postpone the season until next year.

The following officers for the season were elected: Hon. President—Mayor Hawthorne; Hon. Vice Pres.—Mayor Ross of Redcliff.

President—W. E. Martin; Vice Pres.—A. J. N. Terrell; Sec.—Truman L. W. Sadler.

In a general discussion which followed it was apparent that the league would in all probability be commenced this year of four clubs—one from Redcliff, and the Nomads, Moose and the Grizzlies of Medicine Hat. The various clubs are expected to organize within the next two weeks and respectively elect a representative to the league executive.

It was decided not to affiliate with the Alberta Football Association this year.

Present Memorial From United Farmers

In the house of commons yesterday W. A. Buchanan, M. P. for this constituency, was informed that the prime minister and the minister of agriculture had received a memorial from the United Farmers of Alberta regarding the purchase of horses for cavalry training last Sunday.

The minister of militia has written to Mr. Woodbridge, secretary of the United Farmers of Alberta, stating that he is prepared to carry out the suggestions in the memorial in all important respects, but certain arrangements of a confidential character here before made by the British and French governments have to be taken into consideration.

THINKS TOWN CAN ARRANGE SEWER SYSTEM

**So Says Mayor in Report of
His Visit to Edmonton—
Councillor Black Sends in
Resignation.**

The regular meeting of the town council, which was to have been held last Monday week, but which was postponed on account of the absence of the Mayor, was held last Monday evening in the council chamber. Mayor Rott occupied the chair, and the following councillors were present: Messrs. Ireland, McLachlan, Hodge, Devitt and Robertson.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and adopted.

The Mayor's report of his recent trip to Edmonton in connection with the starting of operations in building the trunk sewer. He said he did not anticipate the council would have any difficulty in getting the government to approve of the plan submitted for the disposal of the sewage.

The resignation of Councillor Black was given in writing to the council by the secretary, and on motion duly made the resignation was accepted. The town solicitor was then authorized to conduct the necessary by-law calling for an election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Councillor Black.

The auditor's report was presented to the council, and after some explanations as to the amount of the balance, the secretary-treasurer was appointed as assessor for 1915, to do the work without any additional salary.

The school board submitted to the council its estimate of expenditures for 1915 calling for \$25,000. This was referred back to the board with instructions to have the board advise the council as to the amount of the balance was entitled to in government grants, and to state whether or not the governing body had been referred to the board of works for their approval.

A by-law licensing gas-fitters was given first reading, and was referred to the board of works for their approval.

The question of the financial condition of the town was introduced, and the mayor explained that arrangements had been made with the bank for the borrowing of \$25,000 on condition that the town hypothecate to the bank \$33,000 of its unsold debentures.

Canada Will Keep Army Ready for Front

Although only 4,000 men of the second contingent have as yet left Canada for the front and although the contingent is not yet fully equipped and recruited at some of the centres, the militia department is already taking steps gradually to recruit for a further draft of reinforcements.

The intention of the department is not to send over any further complete army divisions, but rather to forward infantry, and other branches of the service in batches. These batches of men at a time as reinforcements are called for and as the men have completed training and are ready to go to the front.

The process will be continued until at least 50,000 men are in the firing line, with perhaps 100,000 more under arms in Canada and kept in training ready for any call that may come.

German Boat Dredsen At Last Run to Earth

The British admiralty has announced the sinking of the German cruiser Dredsen. The British cruiser Glasgow, auxiliary cruiser Orama and the Kent caught the Dredsen near Juan Fernandez Island Sunday.

An engagement ensued and after five minutes' fighting the Dredsen, in flames, immediately sank. The crew of the Dredsen were all wounded. The crew was landed at Valparaiso.

There were no British casualties. The British ships were not damaged.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1915.

EXERCISE YOUR FRANCHISE.

Next Monday the ratepayers of this town will be called upon to vote on two bylaws. One of these is for \$2,000 for the erection of suitable temporary buildings so that we will be able to start a much needed market here this spring. The other is for \$5,000 to cover up a deficiency in a bylaw previously submitted to and passed by the burgesses. Our readers are no doubt familiar with the latter bylaw, as it has been dealt with in this paper on several occasions in the past, and has been discussed both in the council and on the street for some time. If there are any voters who are not thoroughly conversant with the object of this bylaw we would advise that they get all the information necessary from the mayor or some member of the council before casting their vote. If they do not feel sure the bylaw will carry almost unanimously, as under the conditions it is almost imperative that it should.

With regards to the market bylaw we feel sure that most of the ratepayers realize the advantage a market would be to our town at the present time, and that it is impossible to start one without first having the necessary buildings to accommodate those coming to the market. There is no doubt that a market would aid materially in reducing the cost of living, especially for those who are keeping house.

We would, therefore, strongly recommend that the ratepayers turn out in full force and support both these bylaws.

In the past little attention has been paid to the voting on our bylaws, not always because the ratepayers did not want to have them pass, but because they were not sufficiently interested to turn out and vote. For this reason some very important bylaws have been turned down and the town has been put to unnecessary inconvenience and expense.

Remember the date of voting, next Monday. Make a note of it on your calendar and vote early in the morning and avoid the possibility of forgetting before the day is over.

HELP A GOOD THING ALONG.

In a previous issue The Review made mention of a subscription list which was in circulation for the purpose of raising a fund to donate prizes for the best kept yards, gardens and lawns in town this summer. It is because the Review thinks this is an excellent idea that we are very anxious to see the suggestion carried through to a successful finish. The result of the subscription, so far, however, has not been very encouraging, as no more names than those previously announced have been added to the list. The council might take this matter up and make a small donation. This with a few more donations from our citizens would warrant going ahead with the necessary arrangements, with a fair list of prizes for the first year.

This matter should not be let drop without at least some consideration by the citizens.

A PATRIOTIC MOVE.

The farmers of Saskatchewan are evidently firm believers in the old adage "to whom much is given, much is expected." At the recent convention of rural municipalities held in Saskatoon there was passed a resolution asking the provincial govern-

ment to pass legislation which would impose a tax of two cents an acre on all land in the province, except that owned by soldiers, the money so raised to be a donation from the people of the province for helping in the defence of the Empire.

It is seldom that any company or corporation asks for additional tax to be imposed on them. This action on the part of the rural municipalities of Saskatchewan is but another proof of the unanimity of the Empire in this struggle, and the willingness of her subjects to do their share in seeing the war through to a successful finish. This move is all the more gratifying when it is remembered that a large percentage of the rural population of Saskatchewan is made up of people from the United States and other countries outside of the Empire.

AN UNWISE MOVE.

There has been considerable discussion on the streets and at council meetings lately about a certain petition which is being circulated around town. It has always been a notorious fact that during times of depression there is always more or less of a feeling of discontent, and those feelings prompt people to do things which would never be dreamed of if times were good. As we said before, during these times everything that goes wrong is blamed on those in power positions from the village councillor to the premier.

The petition in question suggests wrong doing in some quarters, but so far as we can learn—and we have tried our best to do so—no specific charges have been made. Yet this petition was signed by a number of ratepayers, and among them, some of our councillors. Since the feeling of those who fathered the petition is that something appears to be wrong in the town's affairs it seems strange to us that members of the council should put their names to it. If there is anything wrong those councillors whose names are on the list are just as guilty as any member on the council, not possibly, in that they have caused the wrong but in that they have not corrected it long before this.

In putting their names on this list these councillors are marking a vote of censure against themselves. It is an admission that they have not the ability to do the work the ratepayers elected them to do, but instead are asking some person or persons to go to the expense of finding out whether or not they themselves (the councillors) are honest and efficient. It may be, however, that these councillors just put their names on the list to please the ones who went around with it and incidentally to please a few more voters. If this were their motive we would remind them of the fable of the old man, his son and their ass.

In going from one town to another the old man rode on the ass while his son walked. They had not proceeded far when they met a man who said the son should ride and the father walk. The rider immediately dismounted and in a few minutes they met a crowd of men who called the boy down from riding while his father walked. Another change was made, but the third crowd they met said both men should ride on the ass. This was done and the next crowd said both men should walk and carry the ass. This in turn was also done, but in crossing a bridge the burden became too heavy and the ass fell over into the river and was drowned. The moral is obvious. These two men tried to please everybody. They pleased nobody and lost their ass into the bargain.

Never was there a more glorious and patriotic St. Patrick's Day to Irishmen than this year, fighting as they are for the freedom which St. Patrick held so dear.

Meeting Hat, Alta., March 8th, 1915.

To the Mayor and Councillors of the Town of Redcliff, Alberta, Gentlemen.

We have audited the accounts of the Town of Redcliff for the year ended December 31st, 1914, and beg to report that all our requirements as auditors have been complied with.

The accompanying statements, viz.:

Exhibit "A," Balance Sheet as at December 31st, 1914.

Exhibit "B," Receipts and Expenditures, Capital Account, for year ended December 31st, 1914.

Exhibit "C," Revenue and Expenditures, Current Account, for year ended December 31st, 1914.

Exhibit "D," Revenue and Expenditures, Water Department, Current Account, for year ended December 31st, 1914.

Exhibit "E," Statement of Debenture Account at December 31st, 1914, showing:

Debentures authorized.

Debentures issued and unpaid.

Sinking Fund investment.

Sinking Fund accrued interest during 1914.

Exhibit "F," Memo of Balance Capital Account, December 31st, 1914.

Exhibit "G," List of Accounts Payable due, receivable as at December 31st, 1914.

TOWN OF REDCLIFF

Auditor's Report and Financial Statement for Year Ended December 31st, 1914

'Exhibit "H," List of Notes Payable as at December 31st, 1914.

Exhibit "I," Surplus Account for year ended December 31st, 1914, have been examined by us, and in our opinion are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the Town's financial affairs as shown by the books of the Town, and according to information and explanations given us.

We have verified the Cash balance by certificate from the Royal Bank, and have checked the Cash on Hand by actual count. All amounts called for in the various Bylaws to be set aside for Sinking Fund, and accruing as at December 31st, 1914, have been charged to Current Account. We would again call your attention to the Sinking Fund Installment for the year 1914, amounting to \$8,850.47, which should be deposited with the Provincial Treasurer by May 1st, 1915.

Considerable difficulty has been experienced in effecting a reconciliation of the Stores Record with the Stores Account in the ledger owing to the fact that the Record was not properly opened up until late in the year. The amount shown on the Balance Sheet as being on hand is the total of the actual inventory certified by the Town Engineer, and adopted by the Council. No difficulty should be experienced in the year 1915, as we have given careful instructions to the staff as to the best method of recording stores issued and received.

We have to express our appreciation of the courtesies extended to us during the audit.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) W. A. HENDERSON & CO.

Chartered Accountants.

Balance Sheet as at December 31st, 1914

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Cash in hand	1,972.23	DEBENTURE ACCOUNT (see Schedule)—	
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE—		Authorized	402,800.00
Taxes prior to 1914	24,700.80	Less Unpaid Debentures	149,550.00
Taxes 1914	23,848.78		
Water Accounts Receivable	645.70	Less Accrued Sinking Fund	
Woodcock, F. F.	96.40		
Sundry Accounts	142.96		
	89,548.87	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE—	
INVENTORIES—		Bank Overdraft	419.91
Stores, General	9,232.00	Sundry Creditors	10,979.14
Stores, Pumping Station	891.50	Notes Payable	
Tools and Equipment	800.11	Royal Bank	25,000.00
Office Furniture	441.90	Sundry (Schedule)	23,848.89
	11,915.51	Redcliff Realty Co. Ltd.	49,846.39
WORKS AND PROPERTY—		Provincial Government	5,000.00
Remains Sidewalks	70.04	Taxes overpaid and to be refunded ..	87.00
Plank Sidewalks	5,096.43	Water Deposits	18.00
Street Lines and Grades	4,055.77		
Sewer Track	6,945.17	Debenture Interest Accrued	66,844.51
Store House	429.27	Debenture Coupons Unclaimed	2,453.52
	11,674.01	Accrued Sinking Fund Payments (Schedule) ..	12,845.76
WATER WORKS—		Less Deposits with Provincial Treasurer ..	5,611.29
System	50,014.00	School District No. 2283	8,830.47
Main	102,728.25	SURPLUS—	
Pumps	9,026.92	Balance 1913 as per Schedule "I"	29,970.95
Services	6,945.17	Balance Revenue 1914	44,031.71
Water Tank	12,930.25		
Meters	809.36		
	189,451.96	Add Accrued Sinking Fund	79,247.82
FIRE DEPARTMENT—			
Hall and Apparatus	7,530.92		
STREET LIGHTING—			
New Lamps, &c.	3,001.49		
Park	307.21		
Sewers	2,827.69		
Industrial Sites	73,400.00		
Shanties	29,040.00		
Unexpended Insurance	85.66		
	416,523.45		

Revenue and Expenditure, Current Account for Year Ended Dec. 31st, 1914

EXPENDITURE		REVENUE	
TO WORKS AND PROPERTY—		By General Taxes	56,900.63
Repairs to Streets	1,274.75	By Debenture Taxes	16,951.88
Repairs to Plank Sidewalks	113.85	By School Taxes	26,705.02
Street Cleaning	512.21		
Rent of Shop Tract	276.27	Less Discount Allowed	98,597.54
Town Hall Expense	24.75		
Store Expense	797.35	By Tax Interest	95,294.91
	2,892.48	By Tax Penalty	5,431.85
TO STREET LIGHTING—		By Licenses, Fines, &c.	1,207.25
Maintenance of Lamps	545.91	By Dog Tax	196.00
Gas Consumed	246.75	By Pound Revenue	133.73
General	26	By Sanitary Revenue	1,122.68
	791.91	By Sundry Revenue	1.00
TO PARK MAINTENANCE	156.70	By Adjustment of Stores Account	267.54
TO HEALTH AND RELIEF			
Isolation Hospital	9.00		
Scavenging	1,070.00		
Nuisance Ground Expense	3,821.21		
Relief	243.01		
General Expense	276.36		
	5,570.77		
TO FIRE DEPARTMENT—			
Maintenance of Equipment	455.41		
Uniforms	335.04		
Wages	332.07		
General Expense	110.00		
	1,652.52		
TO LICENSE AND POLICE DEPARTMENT—			
Wages	2,247.45		
Uniforms	239.00		
Maintenance	241.93		
Pound Expense	365.95		
Licenses	24.12		
General and Office Expense	106.53		
	3,346.98		
TO FINANCE DEPARTMENT—			
Salaries	2,171.35		
Printing, Stationery and Advertising	1,018.73		
Interest and Exchange	1,845.45		
Debenture Interest	4,186.35		
Debenture Sinking Fund	5,011.29		
Grants	340.00		
Industrial Expense	121.00		
Publicity Work	464.70		
Insurance	870.94		
Building Inspector's Salary and Expense	285.14		
Tax Enforcement Expense	1,831.70		
Telegrams and Telephone	65.35		
Rent	50.00		
Legis	60.53		
General Expense	79.15		
	15,928.56		
TO TOWN CLERK'S DEPARTMENT—			
Salaries	1,297.70		
Printing, &c.	154.80		
General Expense	124.04		
	1,556.59		
TO ASSESSMENT—			
Salary	100.00		
Printing, &c.	102.10		
General Expense	141.61		
	343.77		
TO ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT—			
Wages	1,000.96		
Office Expense	189.93		
Travel and Rig Expense	186.67		
	1,266.56		
TO SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2283	28,705.02		
TO DEFICIT ON WATER, CURRENT ACCOUNT	2,453.52		
TO SURPLUS CARRIED TO BALANCE SHEET	44,031.71		
	109,154.78		
			109,154.78

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Standing of Pupils in Grades 8 to 11

Grade VIII.—Agriculture
 Ralph Clare 86, Grant Wilson 92,
 Basil Corcoran 92, Nina Wilson 92,
 Mervyn Corcoran 88, Evelyn Hiddle 88,
 Alta. Wilson 88, Justin Hayes 86,
 Louis Fairbairn 86, James Oswald 78,
 Hecletia Lamont 78.

Grade IX.—Composition
 Muriel Taylor 92, Harold Hollinger
 83, Lenora Pratt 82, Evelyn Hiddle 82,
 Thelma Clare 81, Clarissa Clare 76,
 Carol McKenney 76, Clares O'Fallon
 75, Hazel Corcoran 72.

Grade X.—Composition
 Elsie Clare 80, Marjorie Chadwick
 87, Edythe Broadfoot 80, Coral Karas
 74, Mildred Nicholson 72, Violet Gil-
 son 68.

Grade XI.—Physical Geography
 Marjorie Chadwick 88, Mildred
 Nicholson 87, Edythe Broadfoot 84,
 Elsie Clare 79, Coral Karas 70, Violet
 Gilson 66.

Grade XII.—Chemistry
 Eva Prickelton 74, Clifford Prick-
 elton 64, Pearl Karas 64.

Ireland is Loyal

Says John Redmond

John F. Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalist party, in a speech to five thousand people at Manchester, pointed out that he had often at-
 tended meetings of Irishmen in Man-
 chester, but never before as a man-
 ager of Irishmen and Englishmen
 "firmly united in a common purpose."
 "Ireland has been asked to do its
 proper place in the British empire,
 with which she had so much to do in
 building up as England," said John
 Redmond continued. "Ireland has taken
 her proper place with profit and was
 pledged to faith and loyalty."

"THE MARCH TO THE BATTLE- FIELDS" OR "THE MEN ON THE WAY"

The above is the title given to a pic-
 ture that will for many years to come
 be a highly prized possession. It is a
 photographic reproduction showing the
 25,000 men of Canada's first con-
 tingent breaking camp and on the
 march to join the Continental forces.
 It shows miles and miles of white
 tents and the marching ranks of the
 most inspiring sight. The size is 36
 inches, all ready for framing. This
 picture is sure to be a popular ac-
 quisition of the war as far as Canada
 is concerned, and the demand will be
 very great. It is owned by The Fam-
 ily Herald and Weekly Star, of Man-
 chester, and a copy is being presented
 to all subscribers, to that great national
 weekly newspaper, The Family Her-
 ald, Montreal, whose subscription of
 one dollar a year is received from this
 office for a limited period.

LEAFLET ISSUED FOR GUID- ANCE OF FATHERLY WOMEN

A new leaflet has been issued by
 the National Committee of Women
 for Patriotic Service, and many im-
 portant alterations and additions have
 been made, amongst which may be
 mentioned the recently formed branch
 of the Soldiers' Mothers' League, and
 people in the districts ravaged by the
 war.

Owing to the great need of com-
 forts for the British soldiers and sail-
 ors, relief for Belgians who have lost
 everything by reason of the German
 occupation of their country, and the
 ruthless manner in which the enemy
 has waged war, this little booklet of
 instructions will be of great assist-
 ance and value to the thousands of
 Canadians who are working so splendidly
 for the cause of humanity in the
 present conflict. These booklets can
 be obtained on application to
 Mrs. Plumptre, the secretary of the
 committee at 77 King street east, Tor-
 onto.

WARNING TO FARMERS RE SEED GRAIN

The department of the interior are
 taking prompt steps to treat the train-
 tain convictions against persons
 fraudulently converting the seed grain
 advanced by the government for the
 purpose to other uses than for the
 purpose for which it was obtained.
 The R.N.M.F. have this matter
 actively in hand.

A heavy penalty has been provided
 for in the Amended Seed Grain Act
 and any person or persons found to
 have sold the grain, or used it for any
 other purpose than that set forth in
 the application form will be vigorously
 prosecuted.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUS- TRIAL LABORATORIES

The industrial laboratories of Al-
 bertia are now fully equipped to
 handle all kinds of analyses. Physical
 tests are made on cement, brick, stone
 and other materials. Analyses are
 also made of ore, minerals, coal, water,
 water, paint, glass, clay, grease, etc.
 The schedule of charges for all such
 tests can be obtained on application
 to the Department of Industrial La-
 boratories, University of Alberta.

Great Markets for Grain from Canada

A review of the following figures
 of export and import trade in
 grain in Europe will show the great
 possibilities of Canada in this line
 for the years to come.
 Great Britain imported 51,784,914
 bushels of wheat from 1910 to 1914.
 The United States 12,789,959 bushels from
 1910 to 1914. Germany imported 21,148,833
 bushels of wheat from 1910 to 1914.
 Canada she took 5,977,833 bushels, or
 less than a fourth. She took 32,454,
 688 bushels of oats from 1910 to 1914.
 Great Britain imported 15,128,000
 bushels of wheat from August 1,
 1915, to July 31, 1914. Russia ex-
 ported 15,257,000 bushels and Roumania
 45,433,000 bushels in the same time.
 Great Britain imported from Aug. 1,
 1915, to July 31, 1914, 45,307,000
 bushels of oats. Russia exported 34,
 700,000 bushels, Germany 35,077,000,
 and Roumania 17,195,000 bushels.

BIG ORDERS FOR STEEL PLACED WITH U.S. FIRMS

The Russian government has ordered
 40,000 tons of steel of light weight
 from American steel firms. A
 portion of which has been placed with
 the Carnegie Steel company and the
 Cambria Steel Company. The order is
 one of the largest light rail orders
 placed in several years.
 The Russian and French govern-
 ments have also placed additional or-
 ders for barbed wire with companies
 in the Pittsburgh district. The last or-
 der calls for approximately 15,000 tons.

Submarines Reap A Big Harvest

The submarine U-29, one of the lar-
 gest and fastest of German under-
 water craft, had a successful three-
 day off the Shetland Islands and in the
 English Channel, where on Thursday
 Friday and Saturday, she succeeded
 in sinking four British steamers and
 three French submarines. The German com-
 mander gave the crews of most of the
 ships the time to leave their vessels.
 The U-29 was chased by patrols,
 but proved too elusive for them, while
 the British who were to give chase
 from her found that the submarine
 was much faster than similar craft
 which had previously been sent on a
 mission to destroy Great Britain's
 overseas trade.

Interesting Circulars for Western Farmers

The department of agriculture is
 issued another memorandum dealing
 with the improvement and the increase
 of the wheat market of the Dominion.
 The advice given in the most recent
 announcement to make your land pro-
 ductive. The memorandum cannot be
 over estimated. Millions of bushels
 rather than the cultivation of ex-
 cessive wheat, which is Canada's aim.
 Improved production is only possible
 by the use of good, pure seed, and by
 sound and knowledge of the soil.
 The soil, experience is, in farms as
 in other objects in life, the best
 instructor, but just as farmers learn
 the soil, so do scientists the results
 of experiments made by others make
 the road easier to the lesson that is
 to be learned. Never was there so
 much necessity for the thoroughness
 and earnestness as now, when the
 markets of the world are wider open
 when they are being shifted and for-
 mer occupants are receiving notice to
 quit.

Foreigners in the United States

According to the last census of the
 United States in 1910, the total num-
 ber of people in that country was 91,
 972,266 exclusive of the outlying pos-
 sessions, such as the Philippines and
 Hawaiian Islands, and of the number
 38,456,580 persons were American
 born, and 13,511,886 were foreign
 born, a total of 14.7 per cent. only of
 all persons of foreign birth.
 Of this total foreign-born popula-
 tion in the United States, 2,262,283
 were born in Germany, 1,782,462 in
 Russia, 1,870,682 in Austria-Hungary,
 1,283,251 in Ireland, 1,343,128 in Italy,
 1,250,773 in Scandinavia, and 1,200,
 717 in Canada. These numbers in-
 clude men, women and children. The
 total is a total of 2.4 per cent. of
 Germany, and less than 1.2 per cent.
 of Irish. As the proportion of
 foreign-born population in Canada
 relative to the total population has
 been growing less and less during the
 past years, the actual percentage
 at the present date would be consid-
 erably less than those given below.

General News Notes From Various Points

Election talk continues to be
 prevalent in the corridors at Ottawa,
 and going so far as to predict that
 voting will be over before the middle
 of June.

A secret report has been sent from
 Cuxhaven to the admiralty at Berlin
 that two submarines have failed to
 appear at their rendezvous off the
 Canadian West coast, the ships of the
 among Germany's newest boats.

The Stars and Stripes waved from
 the mainmast of the Allan liner Cor-
 coran while she was steaming from
 the Mersey on her voyage from Liver-
 pool to Halifax, where she docked
 Monday.

Hon. W. T. White's amendment to
 the Grain Act permitting banks to
 loan money for the purchase of seed
 grain upon the security of the grain
 produced is a piece of good policy.

Edgar Crammond, a prominent
 financial writer, read a paper before the
 Royal Statistical Society dealing with
 the cost of the war. In his paper he
 the war must end in July through the
 exhaustion of some of the belligerents.

Wage increases and war bonuses
 granted during the past month in the
 various trades in all parts of England
 have affected 154,000 workers, accord-
 ing to the Daily Mail, and involve
 a total expense to employers of
 \$45,000 weekly.

With the increase of activity of
 the British, French and Belgian arm-
 ies, the reappearance on the coast of
 Belgium of British and French war-
 ships, and the "U-boat" drawing near for
 a big effort in the west, the public
 is following with renewed interest the
 daily reports of the situation.

That the greater part of the Cana-
 dian contingent took part in the
 splendid victory in all parts of the
 Neuve Chapelle and assisted to de-
 feat the enemy attack is confirmed by
 a British officer who has just re-
 turned Friday that section of the Allies' front.

Four Austrian prisoners of war in
 Brandon made a daring get-away,
 and only one of their number had been
 recaptured. The men, whose names are
 not disclosed, managed to secret a
 table knife and after many hours
 of patient work succeeded in escap-
 ing a board in the floor of the old
 winter fair building.

The crew of the British cargo ves-
 sel Dundee off Corral, a report of
 Chile, on her way to Liverpool with
 a cargo of barley, was landed here
 today by the Purvisian ship. The
 cargo, a ship of 550 tons, was
 Newcastle, New South Wales,
 Sept. 11 for Valparaiso, where she ar-
 rived Nov. 28. Her movements after
 that date are not recorded in the
 time records.

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 before and playing the most uncom-
 mon hockey that they have ever
 shown after being up against one of
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 ever met, the Monarchs of Winnipeg
 came from behind in the second half,
 and won back the title Cup with
 scores of 4 to 2, the score for the series
 they defeated Melville in the latter
 two last Friday night by the close
 6 to 5.

Some Changes Made In Dominion Tariff

Some important modifications in
 the new taxation proposals for the
 government were announced by Hon. W.
 T. White when they were taken up in
 committee. The modifications com-
 plied both to the tariff increase and
 the direct taxes outlined in the budget
 speech.

Modifications in the direct taxes
 include a reduction on the tax on patent
 medicine from one cent on each 10
 cents of retail to one cent on each
 25 cents of retail value. Mutual fire
 insurance companies are exempt
 from the tax on the net income from
 dividends and interest on the tax on
 one cent on telephone, while there are
 some changes in the tax on the wine
 railway ticket, steamship ticket and
 banking taxation.

MAKING PROGRESS IN MIXED FARMING

Statistics Show Huge Increase in
 Live Stock—Good Effect on
 Business

The Winnipeg "Free Press" a few
 weeks ago presented the following
 figures showing the rapid increase of
 hogs in the Western province.

"The very best evidence of the
 growth of the stock production for
 Canada West are the shipments of
 hogs. Returns are complete for the
 months of January, February, March
 and April, and they return show that
 during the month of January—

Manitoba shipped.....	14,700
Saskatchewan shipped.....	11,553
Alberta shipped.....	60,278
Total.....	91,326

Manitoba shipped.....	10,607
Saskatchewan shipped.....	10,910
Alberta shipped.....	60,160
Total.....	87,137

Manitoba shipped.....	9,534
Saskatchewan shipped.....	19,337
Alberta shipped.....	45,314
Total.....	72,214

Manitoba shipped.....	7,122
Saskatchewan shipped.....	15,147
Alberta shipped.....	52,593
Total.....	52,358

Making a grand total for
 the four months of..... 323,363

Although the exact returns are not
 yet available for May and June, the
 evidence of weekly shipments is such
 as to indicate that the total shipments
 for the first six months of 1914 will
 be at least 500,000, or only 4,000 less
 than the total shipments for the
 twelve months of 1913.

A very conservative estimate of the
 value of these hogs for the farmer is
 \$12.00 per head, or \$6,000,000 for the
 six months, or \$12,000,000 a month
 for hog products alone. The very
 great bulk of these hogs were mar-
 keted when they were from seven to
 eight months old.

Effect on Business
 With this enormous amount of money
 coming in, it is not surprising that
 the wholesale trade reports that
 collections, particularly during April,
 May and June were better than had
 been expected. The men, whose names are
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THE IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Capital Authorized..... \$10,000,000
 Capital paid up..... \$7,000,000
 Reserves..... \$7,000,000
 Total assets..... \$7,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: TORONTO
 PELEG HOWLAND, President.
 EDWARD HAT, Gen. Mgr.

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Deposits of \$1.00 and upward and interest allowed from date of deposit.

DRAFTS AND MONEY ORDERS
 BOUGHT AND SOLD

B. E. HOWARD, Manager, - - - Redcliff, Alberta

LLOYD GEORGE SPEAKS IN BRITISH PARLIAMENT

The most drastic feature of the
 British parliamentary debate on the
 Welsh disestablishment postponement
 bill was Lloyd George's moving ap-
 peal to his constituents to temporarily
 stick their disestablishment demands
 in view of the national crisis.

Lloyd George, who has been very
 bitterly attacked by old friends, just-
 ified himself. He said:
 "This war has raised issues never
 thought of—deeply religious, serious
 issues that will affect the whole
 of the nation."

"Does anyone owe you?"
 "Our collection department is
 proving a success and if you have
 any money outstanding, give us a chance to
 get it for you. Our charges
 are reasonable, and we remit
 promptly."

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life of this country and the humanity
 for a generation. Great questions
 of reconstruction will occupy the men
 of the nation, every class, great and
 small, when the war is over. They
 will be impatient of sectarian con-

B. J. BOTT, Mayor.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

See A. J. Nicholson for insurance of all kinds in the best companies.

A board fence is being placed around the property in the rear of the Imperial bank.

Since the recent theft a number of residents in the districts off the sidewalks are having logs made 11 feet out to the main thoroughfares.

Nothing was done at the school board meeting last Monday regarding the building of the ward schools or janitor's house. No doubt the matter is left in abeyance for the present.

It is costing Germany a submarine for every merchant vessel sunk, and as there are a hundred merchant ships for every German submarine, it is easy to figure out how Germany is going to come out.

The war office secured a handsome contribution at the hands of Col. Rodette, who, on behalf of the Canadian Red Cross society, handed the committee over 60,000 articles of clothing which had been sent by Canadians for the use of the troops at the front.

The town council sits as a court of revision to revise the voters' lists, to-morrow (Saturday), from four to four-thirty in the afternoon. This list is those that will be used for voting on the bylaws on Monday next.

When in Edmonton last week, Sir Wm. McKeen, president of the C.N.R., stated to Premier Stettin that it was the intention of his company to start work as soon as possible on three lines in Alberta. One of these was the line to Hanna which is to go through Redcliff, and which is already graded to within a few miles of the town.

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Sale to commence in Old Stand on

Saturday a.m., March 20

and continue until stock is sold.

COME TO US FOR BARGAINS

GRIFFITH McNEIL

Blundell's Library, is a book.

A bye-election to fill the vacancy in the council caused by the resignation of Councillor Black is to be held in the near future.

The regular meeting of the U.P.A. of the Box Springs district will be held in the Box Springs hall on Saturday, March 27.

In future the school board will meet in the school on the first and third Mondays of the month. The council meets the second and fourth Mondays.

Among others who are making a change of residence, Dr. W. H. Wall expects before long to leave for the northern part of the province, where he has secured a good location on the Calgary-Edmonton line.

Mrs. Livingstone, who underwent an operation in the Medicine Hat hospital, has returned home much improved in health. Her ailment was not as serious as was at first expected.

O. Monaghan, whose case for harboring a dog without procuring a license, came up for hearing before Magistrate Henderson last Saturday afternoon, was fined \$200 and costs amounting in all to \$240. It certainly pays to buy your dog tags on time.

The Medicine Hat council is seriously considering the advisability of converting its industrial sites into market gardens. The Hat council might go a step farther and convert some of its vacant industrial buildings into greenhouses.

Two car loads of seed oats for distribution among the farmers are already in town awaiting the arrival of the men who are to look after the distribution of the same. These men are expected along any day now, and as soon as they arrive an effort will be made to have the grain disposed of as quickly as possible.

Don't forget to vote on the bylaws next Monday, and don't forget to vote for both of them.

Mrs. H. Kennedy and daughter, who have been visiting in Minneapolis since Christmas, returned home last week.

Spring is coming all right, but evidently the poets are too busy writing war poetry to pay much attention to spring. There is always something to be thankful for in this world.

Fifteen young men off the two football teams which played here last summer are still in training.

The public school now opens up every morning at nine o'clock instead of 9.30 as has been the custom for the winter months.

Mr. Brawley and Mr. McKeenle returned this week from Boyne Lake, where they had been for the past few months on a hunting expedition. They report having had a good season's sport.

It is now beginning to look as if there were oil in Alberta after all. According to latest reports the Alberta Geological Survey has found oil in large quantities. At present it is estimated that there are over 1,000 feet of oil in this well.

H. A. Ireland, who has been conducting a general store on First street south is moving further up the street to the building previously occupied by A. J. Brown. It is Mr. Ireland's intention to carry a complete stock. Moving operations start today, and he expects to be in shape to do business on the new stand Monday.

Mr. Quinn, who lives on a farm a few miles out of town, brought a fine big minkskin skin to the office this week. He killed it in his cellar where it had evidently been hibernating for the winter. It had eight raters and measured three feet six inches from tip to tip.

Miss Jean McCallister will entertain the members of the M. U. M. club at the home of Mrs. Dill next Wednesday evening, March 24th. This will probably be Miss McCallister's last opportunity to entertain the club as she leaves shortly for her home in Ontario.

The Medicine Hat News of Wednesday complains of sending a boy to the front door for two years ago when an automobile. The News says this is a new way of making a criminal. In Medicine Hat a few weeks ago a boy was sent down for two years for stealing some groceries and some hardware. The News had no claim to offer in this case. Wherein lies the difference?

The Redcliff orchestra held their weekly dance this week on Wednesday evening instead of Thursday. The change of night was made in order to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. There was one of the largest crowds of the season, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The ladies' literary club served the occasion by appearing in costumes literally bedecked with Paddy green ribbons. Both the music and floor were excellent, and a dainty lunch was served during the evening.

A meeting of all those interested in football will be held in McLaughlin & McKeen's office on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. As a number of the football players have left town since last season the intention of the meeting is to see how many teams can be arranged to enter the league this coming season. There is probably no organization in town which has contributed more men to the colors to fight the empire's battles than have the football teams of this town. Full attendance is requested at this meeting on Wednesday evening.

A. J. Nicholson sells steamship tickets of all lines. See him before booking your passage to Europe.

Mr. Scram, of Medicine Hat, was in town Monday on business.

In future the provincial legislature is to meet in February each year. This was decided upon at the present sitting.

The Canadian soldiers at the front are asking for more reading matter from their friends on this side of the Atlantic.

Having a garden? Be sure and sow Perry's famous seeds, and get them at Blundell's, First street.

The members of the Young Men's club are holding a social in the club rooms this evening.

W. J. Lang returned home yesterday after spending a few weeks in Saskatchewan on business. Mr. Lang had a most successful trip but was glad to get back to Redcliff.

Griffith McNeil has bought out the stock previously conducted by Madafor & Saub, and will conduct a sale in the old premises. See his ad in this issue.

Hooton, Lander & Goode, contractors here and off the Hat, are making arrangements for a \$500,000.00 drive contract in Butte, Montana. They are also after a half million dollars' worth of work in Minneapolis.

Hugh Ready, aged about 50 years, and James Ready, aged about 40, formerly of St. Johns, N. B., are wanted in their native city. They have been left a large estate by their father.

The auditors report and financial statement for the town for the year ending December 31st, 1914, appears in this issue. Look it up, and get posted. The report appears on pages 2 & 3.

A. Leasmouth, who has been running a coal mine in Warner for the past month, was compelled to return home last week on account of illness. He is greatly improved now, however, and will return to his work in a few days.

It is now beginning to look as if spring were here to stay. The chinook wind last Tuesday night and the mild weather ever since has taken the snow away very quickly, and the trails in the snow are in a very good condition. If the present weather conditions continue it will only be a matter of a few days till farmers will be on the land.

F. L. O'Fallon has bought out the packing business conducted by Mr. Lynch for the last few years. It is his intention to continue the business in the old stand, where he will carry a complete stock of fresh and cured meats, vegetables and canned goods. He will also run the greenhouse in connection. Enlarge your share of your trade, F. L. O'Fallon.

The male chorus which has organized a few weeks ago is meeting with most encouraging success. The chorus meets for practice in the Men's club rooms every Monday evening. Last Monday there was a good turnout and six new members joined the chorus. Several new pieces were practiced and on the whole good progress is being made. It is the intention of the club to give a concert soon after Easter, the exact date of which will be announced later.

When sending money to Europe by a London Express Foreign cheque, A. J. Nicholson sells them.

Another British Ship Sunk Yesterday

The British steamer Glenartney of Glasgow, was torpedoed yesterday off Bechey head, by a German submarine, which gave no notice of her intention. In the torpedoing four men were killed, and several of whom are injured, were picked up by a steamer and landed at New-Haven. The Glenartney, which was 2,500 tons register, was bound from Bangkok, Siam, for London, loaded with 5,000 tons of rice.

CHURCH NOTICES.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND. Sunday, next, March 21st. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Sunday Schools, 2.30. Evening, 7.30.

Wednesday, 24th, W. A. 2.30. Litany in church, 5 p.m. Thursday, 25th, Lady Day. Holy Communion, 9.30 a.m. Matins, 9.30. Special Lent Service and Sermon, 7.30 p.m.

Friday, Litany and Intercession for War, 7.30. Choir practice after services.

Lent is rapidly passing, are you endeavoring to make the best use of it? Each Thursday there are special Lent services. Remember the day and be present. On Sunday evenings during Lent there is a special course of addresses on Prayer. This is a subject which is always important.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

In the church on Second street at 11 a.m. "How May I Attain the Kingdom?" will be answered by the pastor. He will speak in the Empress theatre at 7.30 in the evening on "The Most Enjoyable Fellowship."

Sabbath school at 2 o'clock on Fifth street a.w. and at 2.15 in the church. On Wednesday evening there will be a continuation of our discussion on "Prayer, and who may expect an answer" at 8 o'clock.

On Thursday the Ladies Aid meets in the church at 5 p.m., and the choir at the home of the choirmaster at 8 p.m.

THE UNION BIBLE CLASS.

The class will have a service of praise in the Presbyterian church on Saturday afternoon at 3.30. Reports of week work will be presented and the new officers chosen.

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Delay In Seed Grain Causes Inconvenience

It is unfortunate that the Dominion government has not been able to make arrangements to have the seed grain distributed while the roads were good.

If those who are complaining about the increased staff which the department of the interior is putting on to handle relief throughout the west knew of the inconvenience the farmers will be put to through the delay in delivering seed grain, they would be asking for a bigger staff, instead of asking to have it curtailed. Under present weather conditions it will now be necessary for farmers to store seed grain in town and wait till the roads improve before they can take it home.

"The most important battle on the western frontier, it is believed, will take place along the River Yew, held on one side by the recently reorganized British army, and on the other by the Germans."

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Evaporated Peaches, 4 lbs. 25c
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Small 2 dozen for..... 25c
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